

Page 8, line 20, please delete "the present assignee,".

Page 9, line 2, please replace "the present assignee" with --Knights Technology--.

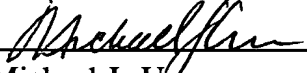
Page 9, line 5, replace the word "detect" with --defect--.

REMARKS

The foregoing amendments have been made to place the application in better form. No new matter has been added. Favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

BURNS, DOANE, SWECKER & MATHIS, L.L.P.

By: 
Michael J. Ure
Registration No. 33,089

P.O. Box 1404
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1404
(650) 854-7400

Date: February 4, 1999